

FILE NAME: Caterpillar (CAT)

DATE: 1981 June 12

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**CATERPILLAR TRACTOR CO.**

PEORIA

DATE June 12, 1981

PLANT OR
OFFICE Decatur

DEPT. Safety

ATTN. T. D. Bray

PLANT OR OFFICE	DEPARTMENT	ATTENTION	
☐ DESTROY		FILE UNTIL (DATE)	

cc: S. L. Aldrich, M. D. - Decatur
R. R. Hoffman - AB3B
H. K. Thompson - AB1D
A. N. Ward, M. D. - AB1D

C O N F I D E N T I A L

On April 16, 1981 personal air samples were taken by D. Ruffini on employees in Dept. 7531, Building D. The results of the samples are shown below:

<u>Employee</u>	<u>Job</u>	<u>Sample Time</u>	<u>8 Hour TWA Asbestos Fiber (>5u) Concentration</u>
K. Rapp #6685	Truck Brake Assembly	350 min	0.18 <u>fibers</u> cc
L. Klukis #7234	"	350 min	0.08 <u>fibers</u> cc

The sample results do not exceed the OSHA PEL of 0.2 fibers/cc for an eight hour TWA exposure. Medical surveillance is required for K. Rapp because the sample exceeded 0.1 fibers/cc. The medical exam must conform with the requirements of 29 CFR 1910.1001, J).

If you have any questions call me.

John M. Kale
JMKale
Industrial Hygiene Engineer
ABSL/C - Ext. 6008
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GRIEVANCE FORM

LOCAL 751, U.A.W., DECATUR, ILLINOIS

2956-81

Case No. _____

Aggrieved Jerry Schaub

Badge

No. 1758 Dept. Shift 7710-F Wolf

Foreman's Name

Home Phone

Sen. Date 12/30/63

Date Presented 12/9/81

Class E

Rate

top

Richard Goodman
(Signature of Steward)

(Signature Chmn. of Grievance Com.)

Violation of 8 CLA

Ray Sulley

Nature of Grievance

Mr. Schaub is aggrieved because of the asbestos fibers in part #6G393, and 7D3014 that cause asbestos dust to be in the air, in Dept. 7530 and 7531.

Relief Requested

The parts be given a light coat of oil to eliminate asbestos dust by vendor Raybestos.

1st STEP ANSWER

Filled By Steward

2nd STEP ANSWER

Filled By Chief Steward

3rd STEP ANSWER

Filled By Grievance Committee

SETTLED ☐ NOT SETTLED ☐ WITHDRAWN ☐ Appealed To Arbitration

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PERSONAL MONITORING RESULTS

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